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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) Phuong-Thao Cao, Examiner. (3) Alan G. Rego, Agent (Reg. No. 45,956).
(2) Sana Al-Hashemi, Primary Examiner. (4) _____

Date of Interview: 12 December 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: claim 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Collins (US Publication No 2002/0065744).

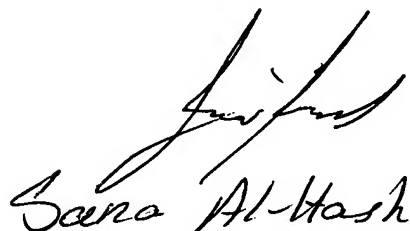
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

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(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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The Agent gave an overview of the current invention and discussed the differences between the current invention and the reference. The Agent argued that the Collins reference disclosed the population of the staging table with accessed data which were not returned to the report object as contrast to what was claimed. The Examiners explained how the reference read on the currently claimed invention. The Agent agreed that the currently claimed invention was still too broad to distinguish from the reference and proposed some amendments which might further specify the invention and distinguish it from the applied reference. The Examiners agreed that the proposed amendment might be effective to overcome the applied reference but indicated that further consideration/search would be needed once an official amendment is submitted.